

# GOASCNA MINUTES

## November 2024 ASC

“Anonymity applied to the fourth tradition reminds us that each group has an equal place in the fellowship of NA.” – It Works How and Why, page 157



**Next ASC will be held on December 8, 2024**

Dr. James R. Smith Neighborhood Center

1723 Bruton Blvd

Orlando, FL 32805

Beginning at 1:00 pm

Orientation starts at 12:30 pm

\*Please visit [www.OrlandoNA.org](http://www.OrlandoNA.org) for more information, past minutes, Area Guidelines, Event Calendar, Flyers and more.

# GOASCNA AGENDA

November 9, 2024

12:30 pm – New Member Orientation

1:00 pm – ASC Begins

- \_\_\_\_\_ Open with a Moment of Silence followed by the Serenity Prayer
- \_\_\_\_\_ Readings – GOASCNA Purpose – 12 Traditions – 12 Concepts – Service Worker’s Prayer
- \_\_\_\_\_ Roll Call/Attendance
- \_\_\_\_\_ Recognition of New Groups/New GSRs/New Alternates/Anyone visiting
- \_\_\_\_\_ Brief explanation of Red Flag about ASC’s violation of spiritual principles
- \_\_\_\_\_ Review Meeting Facilitation Tools

## \_\_\_\_\_ Admin Reports

- \_\_\_\_\_ o Chair/Facilitator \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Secretary \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Parliamentarian/Guide 1 \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Treasurer \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Literature Distributor \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o RCM \_\_\_\_\_

## \_\_\_\_\_ Subcommittee Reports

- \_\_\_\_\_ o Activities \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Celebration of Unity \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o H&I \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Public Relations/Phoneline \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Webpage \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Work Group (if any active) \_\_\_\_\_

## \_\_\_\_\_ Open Floor – 30 Minutes

- \_\_\_\_\_ Read Service Concept of the month \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_

## \_\_\_\_\_ Proposals

- \_\_\_\_\_ o Review CBDM by Co-Facilitator
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Old Business \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o Tabled Proposal (if any) \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ o New Business 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_

## \_\_\_\_\_ Acclimations/Nominations/Elections [Read 4th Concept]

- \_\_\_\_\_ Group Reports • Announcements/Anniversaries • Volunteers for next month’s New Member Orientation • Close with a Moment of silence & and Serenity Prayer

**\*\*Please note the meeting will break at the Facilitator’s discretion.**

# GOASCNA Minutes

## November 10,2024

Opened Meeting @ 1:00 pm with Serenity Prayer, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts, and Service Worker's Prayer.

### Roll Call

### New GSR/Group Recognition

A brief explanation of Red Flag in reference to ASC violation of Spiritual principles

### Admin Reports: (See Attached)

- **Chair/Facilitator Report**
    - Sam G. shared report and emailed to groups.
  - **Secretary's Report**
    - Jenny G. stated minutes were emailed to groups and posted to website.
  - **Guide Report**
    - Stephanie L. shared report
  - **Treasurer's Report**
    - Stuart H. shared report and emailed to groups
  - **Literature Distributor Report**
    - Omar O. shared report and uploaded to website
  - **RCM Report**
    - Daniel S. shared report and emailed to groups
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### Subcommittee Reports: (See Attached)

- **Activities**
  - Anthony G. shared report and emailed to groups
  - Lengthy discussion regarding Activities annual budget, versus separate event budgets
- **Celebration of Unity**
  - Tariq shared report and emailed to groups.
  - Asked that GSRs go to their home groups to announce that we are looking for theme ideas for Unity t-shirt design.
- **Hospitals & Institutions**
  - Stephanie M. shared report and emailed to groups

- **Public Relations/Phoneline**
    - Mark B. shared report and emailed to groups
    - Working on coming up with an efficient way to get accurate meeting information to phone line volunteers (e.g. meeting closures, natural disaster closures, etc.)
    - It was suggested that if there is a meeting closure to do two things:
      - Email Google Groups
      - Call Phoneline to inform phone line volunteers
  - **Webpage**
    - No Report
  - **Workgroup Report**
    - Natasha shared report and emailed to groups
    - Next meeting will be at Downtown Library
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### **The Service Concept of the Month was read and discussed**

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### **Open Floor Topics:**

- Insurance for Home Groups
  - Following Procedural Guidelines
    - Flyers
  - 12 Concepts
  - Raffles
  - Non-Profit Certificates
    - Venue discounts for events held by Activities Subcommittee
  - Calendar Requests
    - Sam will work with Fernando & Eric on this
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### **Old Business:**

- **Proposal #** - 241001
  - Maker** – Robb K.
  - Supporter** – Ahmed F.
  - Proposal** – To receive a new starter kit for “By Young Addicts for Young Addicts”

**Purpose** – To spread the message to youth addicts. We receive many underage addicts who are bussed to the meeting by their rehab and use materials but they don't have any means for 7<sup>th</sup> tradition.

**Modifications** – None

**Voting Results** – Passed Unanimously

- **Stuart H.** stated that no one has informed him how much or who to pay for ASC rent. Sam G. will follow up with Facility to iron out details so that we can catch up on the last 5 months of rent.
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### **New Business:**

#### **Proposals:**

##### **Proposal # - 241101**

**Maker** – Activities Subcommittee (Anthony G.)

**Supporter** – RCM 1 (Gladys)

**Proposal** – Activities Subcommittee needs additional \$140 for deposit for anniversary event in February (total deposit is \$350)

**Purpose** – To secure event space for anniversary event in February

**Modifications** – None

**Voting Results** – Passed Unanimously with 21 votes

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#### **Nominations:**

- Austin B. nominated for Co-Leader of H&I by Stephanie M.
    - Voted in unanimously with 21 votes
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#### **Group Reports:**

- **None**
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### **Announcements:**

- Surrender for the Process will be closing for the holidays, due to low support. They will likely be closing permanently, if they do not start having higher attendance/support.
- No Matter What will be closed the last Thursday of November and December
- Linda has Unity hats for sale: \$15

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### **Volunteers for next month's New Member GSR Orientation**

#### **Clean time acknowledgement**

**Closed Meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.**

#### **Orientation next ASC at 12:30**

\*Groups please encourage your new and returning GSR's to attend this orientation. It is open to everyone, it's a great refresher for returning GSR's as well.

**Open Positions** – Please announce at your home groups and/or invite someone to Area.

**ADMIN:** Alt Secretary

**Subcommittees:** PR/PL Co-Leader, Webpage Co-Leader, Activities Co-Leader

# Greater Orlando Area Service Proposal Sheet

Date: 11/19/24 Proposal #: 241101

Maker: ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE  
 Supported By: GLADIS - RCM ADDI FORMAL

Proposal: ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE NEEDS \$140  
FOR DEPOSIT FOR ANNUAL MEETING  
EVENT IN FEB - TOTAL DEPOSIT IN  
\$350

Purpose: TO SECURE EVENT SPACE  
FOR ANNUALS, EVENT IN FEB

Modifications: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Test for Consensus:  
 Assent  
 Assent with reservations  
 Stand Aside  
 Block

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th

Results: Tabled to Groups \_\_\_\_\_ Committed to \_\_\_\_\_  
 Passed 2 UNANIMOUS  
 No Support \_\_\_\_\_

GOASCNA ATTENDANCE

A group missing its 2nd consecutive ASC will not be counted for Consensus  
 A group missing its 6th consecutive ASC will be removed from roll call.

Groups	RECVD PROC GDLN	May 2024 1st Roll	May 2024 2nd Roll	Jun 2024 1st Roll	Jun 2024 2nd Roll	Jul 2024 1st Roll	Jul 2024 2nd Roll	Aug 2024 Roll	Aug 2024 2nd Roll	Sept 2024 Roll	Sept 2024 2nd Roll	Oct 2024 Roll	Oct 2024 2nd Roll	Groups	Nov 2024 Roll	Nov 2024 2nd Roll				
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Believing in Miracles	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	A	Y/A	P	Y/A	Y/A	Believing in Miracles	Y/P	Y/P				
Brothers Keepers		Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	Y/P	A/Y	P/Y	Y/A	A	Y/EA	Y/EA	Brothers Keepers	Y/P	Y/A				
By the Book	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/EA	Y/EA	By the Book	Y/P	Y/P				
By Young Addicts for Young Addicts		Y/A	Y/A	N/A	N/A	N/P	N/P	P/N	A	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	By Young Addicts for Young Addicts	Y/P	Y/P				
Celebration of Recovery		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/P	A/N	A	N/P	A	N/A	N/A	Celebration of Recovery	N/A	N/A				
Changing Through the Steps	X	Y/A	Y/A	Y/A	Y/A	N/A	N/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Changing Through the Steps	Y/P	Y/P				
Clean on Sunday		Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Clean on Sunday	Y/P	Y/P				
Compass to Hope		Y/A	Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	Y/A	A/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/A	Y/A	Compass to Hope	Y/P	Y/P				
Eastside Recovery	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Eastside Recovery	Y/P	Y/P				
Easy Does It		First Time	N/P	N/A	N/A	N/P	N/A	P/N	A	Y/P	A	Y/A	Y/A	Easy Does It	Y/P	Y/A				
Eatonville Group	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Eatonville Group	Y/A	Y/P				
Friday Night Live	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Friday Night Live	Y/P	Y/P				
Just for Today		Y/A	Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Just for Today	Y/P	Y/P				
Learning to Live	X	Y/A	Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Learning to Live	Y/P	Y/P				
Living the Dream	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Living the Dream	Y/P	Y/P				
Man to Man		Y/A	Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	Y/A	A/Y	A	N/A	A	N/P	N/A	Man to Man	N/A	N/A				
Mid-Week Groove		Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Mid-Week Groove	Y/EA	Y/EA				
Miracle at Noon	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Miracle at Noon	Y/P	Y/P				
Miracles of Faith		Y/A	Y/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	A/Y	A	Y/A	A	N/A	N/A	Miracles of Faith	N/A	N/A				
NA the Only Game in Town										First Time	P	N/P	N/P	New Game in Town	Y/P	Y/P				
New Beginners		N/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	Y/P	A/Y	P/Y	Y/A	A	Y/EA	Y/EA	New Beginners	Y/P	Y/P				
No Matter What		Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	A/Y	A	Y/P	P	Y/A	Y/A	No Matter What	Y/P	Y/P				
Not Alone	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	A/Y	A	Y/A	A	N/A	N/A	Not Alone	N/A	N/A				
Practicing Principles		N/A	N/A	N/P	N/P	N/P	N/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Practicing Principles	Y/P	Y/P				
Promise to Freedom						First Time	Y/P	P/N	A	Y/A	A	Y/A	Y/A	Promise to Freedom	N/A	N/A				
Quarantined Florida	X	Y/A	Y/A	Y/A	Y/A	N/P	N/P	P/N	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Quarantined Florida	Y/P	Y/P				
Radical Recovery	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Radical Recovery	Y/P	Y/P				
Rainbow Recovery	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/A	Y/A	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Rainbow Recovery	Y/A	Y/A				
Recovery on Campus	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/P	Recovery on Campus	Y/A	Y/A				
Spiritual Principles								First Time	P/N	N/A	A	N/A	N/A	Spiritual Principles	N/A	N/A				
Still Working On It	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/A	A	Y/P	Y/P	Still Working On It	Y/P	Y/P				
Unconditional	X	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	P	Y/P	Y/A	Unconditional	Y/A	Y/A				
We Came to Believe								First Time	P/N	N/P	P	Y/A	Y/A	We Came to Believe	Y/A	Y/A				
We Do Recover		N/A	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	Y/P	P/Y	P/Y	Y/P	A	Y/P	Y/P	We Do Recover	Y/P	Y/P				
TOTAL GROUPS PRESENT		18/17V	20/20V	25/24	25/24	23/18	24/18	23/22	22/22	25/22	23/21			TOTAL GROUPS PRESENT						
1st number is how many present												21	19	First number is how many present /	22	21				
2nd number is how many can vote												19	18	Second number is how many can vote	22	21				
Trusted Servants	RECVD PROC GDLN	May 2024 1st Roll	May 2024 2nd Roll	Jun 2024 1st Roll	Jun 2024 2nd Roll	Jul 2024 1st Roll	Jul 2024 2nd Roll	Aug 2024 Roll	Aug 2024 2nd Roll	Sept 2024 Roll	Sept 2024 2nd Roll	Oct 2024 Roll	Oct 2024 2nd Roll	Trusted Servants	Nov 2024 Roll	Nov 2024 2nd Roll				
Facilitator		P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	A	A	P	P	Facilitator	P	P				
Co-Facilitator	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Co-Facilitator	P	P				
Treasurer		P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Treasurer	P	P				
Alt Treasurer		P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	A	A	Alt Treasurer	P	P				
Guide 1	X	A	A	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Guide 1	P	P				
Guide 2	X	A	A	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Vacant	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Guide 2	P	P				
Lit Distributor		P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Lit Distributor	EA	EA				
Alt Lit Distributor		P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	A	A	P	P	Alt Lit Distributor	P	P				
Secretary	X	P	P	P	P	P	P	Y	Y	P	P	P	P	Secretary	P	P				







Facilitator Sam G

I created a formalized meeting agreement between GOASCNA and the Dr. James R Smith Neighborhood Center. I closely coordinated with our Co-Facilitator and Treasurer during the month to successfully resolve the facility payment issue and created clear, documented procedures for the Treasurer to follow.

On Thursday, November 7, 2024 myself and Bill S met with Janette Carter, Regional Center Manager for the Dr. James R Smith Neighborhood Center to discuss creating a GOASCNA meeting agreement and specifically payment procedures. I apologized for not rectifying the payment issue sooner. We paid the last 6 months in the form the facility requested - with 2 \$25 Visa gift cards. Ms Carter wasn't aware there was an issue, appreciated our bringing it to her attention and by resolving it immediately.

Our conversation on Thursday provided a clear understanding of our agreement. I followed up with an email to formalize our agreement and to ensure mutual understanding. I closely coordinated this entire process with our Co-Facilitator and Treasurer to ensure both transparency and continuity so that moving forward payments are made in a timely manner. The agreement is below:

**Dr. James R Smith Neighborhood Center and GOASCNA Meeting Agreement**

1. GOASCNA is able to meet the second Sunday of the month from 1pm-4pm at the Dr. James R. Smith Neighborhood Center with time before and after the meeting to set up and clean up space.
2. GOASCNA shall leave the space set up as we found it.
3. Payment is two \$25 Visa gift cards.
4. Payment shall be made on the second Sunday of the month.
5. Gift cards shall be given to the front desk person; they will make a copy and sign and date which will serve as receipt for our records.
6. Dr. James R Smith Neighborhood Center does not require GOASCNA to have a contract like the other NA meetings due to the nature of our business.

Yours In Service,

Sam G

GOASCNA Facilitator



# GOASCNA TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 2024  
ASC MEETING DATE: NOVEMBER 9, 2024



## DEPOSITS FROM GROUPS

DATE RECEIVED	PAYMENT METHOD	COLLECTED FROM	RECEIVED	PAY PAL FEES	NET	LITERATURE ORDER	DONATION AMOUNT
10/13/24	Money Order	Eatonville Group	\$ 100.00		\$ 100.00		\$ 100.00
10/13/24	Money Order	Practicing Principles	\$ 96.78		\$ 96.78		\$ 96.78
10/13/24	Zelle	Practicing Principles	\$ 8.40		\$ 8.40	\$ 8.40	\$ -
10/13/24	Zelle	Recovery on Campus	\$ 53.50		\$ 53.50		\$ 53.50
10/13/24	Zelle	Changing Through the Steps	\$ 197.42		\$ 197.42		\$ 197.42
10/13/24	Money Order	Mid Week Groove	\$ 5.00		\$ 5.00		\$ 5.00
10/13/24	Money Order	Friday Night Live	\$ 343.00		\$ 343.00		\$ 343.00
10/13/24	Paypal	Living the Dream	\$ 122.63	\$ (3.42)	\$ 119.21		\$ 119.21
10/13/24	Zelle	Zoom - Quarantined Florida	\$ 119.50		\$ 119.50		\$ 119.50
10/13/24	Zelle	Women of Exhale	\$ 15.00	\$ (0.79)	\$ 14.21		\$ 14.21
10/13/24	Zelle	Still Working On It - Donation	\$ 1,262.44		\$ 1,262.44	\$ 548.79	\$ 713.65
10/13/24	Money Order	Breakfast Club	\$ 156.00		\$ 156.00	\$ 5.60	\$ 150.40
10/13/24	Money Order	NA The Only Game in Town	\$ 112.00		\$ 112.00	\$ 111.67	\$ 0.33
10/13/24	Zelle	Rainbow Recovery	\$ 134.00		\$ 134.00		\$ 134.00
10/13/24	CHECK	Learning To Live	\$ 43.00		\$ 43.00		\$ 43.00
10/13/24	check	A Train to Somewhere	\$ 16.34		\$ 16.34		\$ 16.34
10/13/24	Money Order	Miracle at Noon	\$ 91.00		\$ 91.00		\$ 91.00
10/13/24	Money Order	Eastside Recovery	\$ 297.94		\$ 297.94	\$ 15.24	\$ 282.70
10/13/24	Zelle	Clean on Sundays	\$ 81.00		\$ 81.00		\$ 81.00
10/13/24	check	No Matter What	\$ 51.00		\$ 51.00		\$ 51.00
<b>TOTAL GROUP DEPOSITS/ORDERS:</b>			<b>\$ 3,305.95</b>	<b>-\$ 4.21</b>	<b>\$ 3,301.74</b>	<b>\$ 689.70</b>	<b>\$ 2,612.04</b>

## OTHER DEPOSITS / LITERATURE

DATE RECEIVED	CHECK #	COLLECTED FROM	RECEIVED	Pay Pal Fees	Net	LITERATURE ORDER	
10/13/24		Stephanie M - H&I	\$ 136.00		\$ 136.00		
		H & I Literature				\$ 661.89	
<b>TOTAL OTHER DEPOSITS/ORDERS:</b>			<b>\$ 136.00</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 136.00</b>	<b>\$ 661.89</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS/ORDERS (HOMEGROUPS AND OTHER):</b>	<b>\$ 3,441.95</b>	<b>\$ (4.21)</b>	<b>\$ 3,437.74</b>	<b>\$ 1,351.59</b>	<b>\$ 2,612.04</b>
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## EXPENSES

DATE	CHECK #	PAY TO	COMMITTEE	EXPENSE TYPE	AMOUNT
10/13/24	3310	VOID			\$ -
10/13/24	3311	Gladys Schmanski	RCM	Sept Room reimburse	\$ 344.98
10/15/24	paypal	NAWS donation		donation from Sept report	\$ 231.02
10/15/24	paypal	FRCNA donation		donation from Sept report	\$ 693.07
10/25/24	3312	Liberty Orlando Magnolia Storage	Admin	Sept - November storage fee	\$ 380.76
10/25/24	3313	Florida Regional Service Office	Admin/H&I	Literature order - October	\$ 1,776.33
10/25/24	3314	The Presentation Group	Admin	Printing Inv #32101	\$ 96.00

<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>					<b>\$ 3,522.16</b>
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*For Knowledge Only*

\$ (4.21)	Monthly PayPal Fee	FY PayPal Fee Total	\$ (11.96)
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## RECAP OF GOASCNA FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Total Current Month's Deposits (All Group Literature Orders & Area Donations)	\$ 3,437.74
Less Total Current Month's Paid Expenses	\$ (3,522.16)
Balance of Current Month's Activities	\$ (84.42)
Ending Checkbook Balance	\$ 7,907.51
Less Operating Prudent Reserve	\$ (5,189.00)
Less Activities Event Reserve (Budget Amt \$1,250 less any monies disbursed)	\$ (1,250.00)
Less Monetary Proposal Approved at ASC (Reserve until paid)	
Less Monies put aside for rent	\$ (359.28)
Total Funds to be held	\$ (6,798.28)
Remaining Monies (Above or Below) Prudent Reserve	\$ 1,109.23
FRSC Donation (75% of Monies Above Prudent Reserve)	\$ 831.92
NAWS Donation (25% of Monies Above Prudent Reserve)	\$ 277.31

## TREASURER'S COMMENTS

>Please note that ZELLE is an option for donations by way of treasurer@orlandona.org. Please include a note if the donation is from a group.

Outstanding checks/other expenses - Ck#3313 - \$1,776.33

>Notes: PayPal donations - Please include the group name in the comments section, this is the last page before confirming the payment/donation. Example:



# Greater Orlando Area Service Committee Literature Subcommittee Report

2024-11-10

**ASC Date:** 2024-11-10

**Meeting Date:** 2024-11-10

**Hello good afternoon we place the literature order to the RSO in the amount of 1,640.33. We have the following items in overstock : 31 qty an introductory Guide to narcotics Anonymous, qty 2 the Group booklets.**

**In loving service Omar and Marty.**

## ***Open Forum***

RD - please let us know at November RSC how many people you expect to have attend the Dec 21 virtual Interim CAR/CAT workshop so we know if we need to upgrade our zoom license for that month

Mark - RCMs, please send insurance data (avg group attendance and physical meeting location of your groups to mab926@gmail.com

## ***Secretary Report***

Amendment to July Minutes

Jeff S is no longer H&I Coordinator. He officially stepped down at May Region. Cindy will take over in September.

The position should have appeared vacant in the contact sheet in the July minutes

Printed Minutes

The RSO has returned their leased printer which we are told means we can no longer have them print and mail the minutes. As such, we will work to find a new best practice for how to mail printed minutes. For the July RSC, we mailed out 3 sets of minutes. The printing, supplies and mail cost = \$64.99

Contact Sheet:

The contact sheet is going around. Please make sure your information is accurate, if it is not, please correct it. If you are a new or acclimating RCM, please provide the requested information.

In Loving Service,

Ezra K & Anna C

Florida Region Secretary Team

secretaryteam@naflorida.org

## ***Admin Report***

We meet virtually at 8:30pm on the second Monday of every month and if any members are ever interested, you're always welcome to join:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82328960092?pwd=ZWZHSWpMdjk2TDBwUjhTN25Sbnk5QT09> Meeting ID: 823 2896 0092 Passcode: FRSC

In August/September these are some of the bigger things we discussed:

- The upcoming strategic planning meeting that we have scheduled for October 19th.. We had considered doing the meeting at FACNA and just renting a boardroom at the hotel but there were some issues with that so we're going back to checking on some places in Lakeland. We did find a need to consolidate some of our budget line items for Strategic Planning as they're spread in multiple areas in the budget.

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- Getting the names on the Bank of America account updated to remove past members and add in current ones.
- The need to slow down and educate newer RCMs was brought up in August. We discussed having more training and the idea of doing a pizza lunch and learn. In September there was discussion about the budget for it and a member voiced concerns about using RSC funds to purchase the pizza. Other members mentioned that it's a pretty common practice in service.
- The treasurer brought up the mileage rate reimbursement amount and there was discussion about the history and past motions regarding this topic.

The complete notes from our meetings and upcoming topics can be found here:

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Q1fJMT-JktlPeu2rVE0V6ffxwLPCg09gh38iPHw9me0/edit?usp=sharing>

Ernest and Michelle have attended ASC meetings of the following areas:

Bay  
Heartland  
Recovery Coast  
Tampa Funcoast

### ***Treasurer Report***

Hello everyone,

On July 1, 2024, the opening bank balance was \$30,915.77. After deposits of \$18,798.40 and expenses of 7,539.92 on August 31, 2024, the ending book balance was \$42,174.25. After deducting \$10,000.00 withheld for the next RSC, the Prudent Reserve of \$11,000.00, the GSR Assembly Reserve of \$4,800.00, and the Florida Service Symposium Reserve of \$5,250.00 **the available balance was \$11,124.25**. After discussion, I proposed to withhold the Island Nation travel budgeted amount of \$4,200.00 from the donation to NAWS. A check was written to NAWS for \$7,124.25.

As of RSC held on September 15, 2024, we received \$1,450.29 in income and had \$6,675.65 in expenses. Additionally, we allocated the monthly reserve of \$350.00 for the GSR Assembly & \$800.00 the Florida Service Symposium. Therefore, after RSC business the available balance was 548.89.

\*This does not match what was read on the floor due to adjustments during final reconciling prior to submitting reports.

Payment Options Information:

**We accept payments via PayPal at [paypal.me/frsc](https://www.paypal.me/frsc) or search [treasurer@naflorida.org](mailto:treasurer@naflorida.org). Choose sending to a friend since you are not paying for an item or service. Be sure to add a note to include the group or area name to ensure proper credit.**

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We also accept payments via Check or Money order. Please be sure to make it payable to the Florida Regional Service Committee. Also, please include your group or area name on the memo line to ensure proper credit.

Please send to:

Florida Regional Service Office c/o  
Florida Regional Service Committee  
2222 South Combee Road, Suite 6  
Lakeland, FL 33801

The following pdfs will include the treasurer's report with banking summary, contribution summary, income & expense summary, profit and loss, balance sheet, budget vs actual report and bank statements.

If there are any discrepancies, questions, or concerns please do not hesitate to contact us by sending an email to [treasurer@naflorida.org](mailto:treasurer@naflorida.org) or [alttreasurer@naflorida.org](mailto:alttreasurer@naflorida.org).

ILS,

Danette R. – Treasurer

Lyla – Alternate Treasurer

Attachments

### ***Fellowship Development Group***

Saturday's Area Support meeting began with a welcome to the Florida region, and participants were informed about placards for identifying key people. The facilitator reminded everyone about the special lunch for newcomers and took an initial count of those interested. After some technical adjustments to the microphone, the group moved forward with readings.

Natasha read the NA service statement, outlining the primary purpose of the group, while Marina followed with a reading of the 12 Traditions, which guide the fellowship's unity and functioning. Megan then read the 12 Concepts for NA Service, which focus on leadership and accountability within the organization. Ernest read the purpose of the area support group, and Angelo explained the role and goals of the fellowship development group.

The meeting shifted to introductions of the trusted servants, beginning with Ernest, the regional facilitator, who described his role in keeping the business side of the meeting on track. Michelle, the co-facilitator, introduced herself as well, mentioning that she assists Ernest and made vegan chocolate chip cookies for the event. Belinda, the fellowship development leader, gave a lively introduction, sharing her enthusiasm for the work and inviting newcomers to engage. Colin, the FD co-leader, echoed Belinda's sentiments, stressing the importance of building connections to help regions serve more effectively.

Liz, the public relations coordinator, discussed the success of bi-monthly PR meetings and encouraged participation from areas with fewer active PR members. Cindy, the hospitals and institutions (H&I) coordinator, expressed her

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excitement for her first official meeting in the role, outlining plans to start bi-monthly gatherings to collaborate with other committees.

Next, Pam, the technology resource coordinator, explained her responsibilities in setting up the meeting's tech needs and introduced attendees to the NA Florida website's resources. She highlighted the orientation booklet, which helps new members familiarize themselves with the structure and processes of the Florida Region.

Jennifer, a member of the Human Resource Panel (HRP), explained the HRP's function in overseeing the volunteer pool and how they match trusted servants with appropriate roles. Christy, the HRP guide, emphasized her role in maintaining the Florida Region Guide and ensuring it is followed during meetings. Mark, Allen, and Anna, other members of the HRP, shared their responsibilities in helping with interviews and documentation for open positions.

The delegate team, Ramon (regional delegate) and Carlos (alternate delegate), introduced themselves next. Ramon explained his role in communicating with the World Service Office and carrying the region's vote to the World Service Conference. Carlos added that his duties included managing hotel contracts for the meetings.

After the introductions of the trusted servants, the focus shifted to newcomers. Jeff, an RCM from the Tampa Funcoast area, introduced himself along with his fellow area members, Paula and Jean. Other newcomers included Sylvie (RCM for the Forest Area), Jackie (chair of the Forest Area), Sam (alt-GSR for Bay Area), Gwen (RCM for Trinidad and Tobago), and Josh (GSR from Recovery Coast).

After the introductions, the actual support process began with encouragement from veterans of the process to newcomers to share issues from their local NA areas, particularly any challenges or successes they were facing. The discussion was aimed at fostering problem-solving and collaboration through the sharing of experience, strength, and hope.

Stefan brought up a concern from his area about the confusion and lack of clarity regarding procedural guidelines during meetings. He mentioned a specific incident where a vote was taken without a full understanding of the NA concepts and traditions, resulting in a decision that left some members feeling unheard. Stefan felt that this created tension within the group, particularly around whether members' voices were valued. He sought input from other areas on how to handle situations where long-standing members feel marginalized after a controversial vote.

Ernest and Shahid responded, emphasizing the importance of mentorship for new GSRs and ensuring that everyone understands NA's traditions and concepts. Shahid explained that in his area, mentorship had been key to ensuring new members could effectively participate in discussions and decision-making. He noted that his area was considering creating a priority list to ensure important expenses and services are funded appropriately.

Marina echoed these points, stressing the need for areas to avoid rushing decisions, especially if not everyone fully understands the proposals. She suggested tabling votes until everyone was clear about what was being decided. This approach would help maintain the integrity of communication, a key part of NA's Eighth Concept.

The conversation shifted to the GSR orientation process. Several members, including Trina and Nina, shared their experiences with new GSRs feeling overwhelmed by the responsibilities and expectations. Nina emphasized that raising one's hand to ask questions can be intimidating for newcomers, and suggested offering pre-meeting orientations to prepare GSRs for what to expect. She also proposed visiting home group business meetings to educate members about what it means to be a GSR, as many home groups lack this understanding.

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The next significant topic was a financial concern raised by Megan, the RCM for Big Bend Area, which had recently fallen below its prudent reserve. She explained that their area's expenses were exceeding the donations from groups, and that even routine costs, such as her reimbursement for attending regional meetings, were pushing them further into financial difficulty. Megan sought advice on how other areas had addressed similar situations.

Several members offered insights:

Corey (RCM for FunCoast) shared that his area had faced the same problem and resolved it by re-evaluating their budget. They reset expenses to match actual donations, significantly reducing non-essential budgets such as for PI (Public Information) and H&I (Hospitals and Institutions) until the financial situation improved. He suggested going back to the groups and explaining that if they wanted more services, they would need to increase their donations. Christy from the Bay Area suggested creating a priority list of expenses, putting essential services (e.g., helpline, H&I literature) at the top and delaying funding for non-essential services like newsletters and travel for RCMs. This approach ensures that the area can continue to function while maintaining financial prudence.

Christina (Recovery Coast) asked whether the financial shortfall was primarily due to insufficient donations or increased expenses, such as insurance. Megan clarified that it was a mix of both, with fewer donations and ongoing expenses both contributing to the shortfall.

The group then transitioned to a discussion about liability insurance, which several areas expressed interest in.

**Mark B explained that he was working on gathering information that would serve to facilitate securing regional insurance that would cover all meetings and events in participating areas.** He emphasized that the more areas that participated, the lower the cost per group. To move forward, Mark requested that areas submit their meeting lists, including addresses and average attendance, to provide accurate data to insurance providers. Several members, including Jeff (Palm Coast) and Malcolm (First Coast), shared details of their current insurance policies, with costs ranging from \$600 to \$2,200 per year, depending on the size and scope of coverage.

**Mark clarified that areas do not need to be incorporated to be covered under the insurance plan.** The IRS recognizes NA as an unincorporated association of individuals, which meets the requirements for obtaining liability insurance without the need for 501(c)(3) or LLC status. However, he also mentioned **that if areas already had nonprofit status, it wouldn't interfere with participating in the regional insurance program.**

As the meeting progressed, Tammy asked whether the insurance would cover special events, such as area activities. Mark confirmed that events could be added to the policy on a case-by-case basis, but regular meetings would be covered under the general policy.

Jennifer, the area chair for River Coast, raised concerns about her area's prudent reserve. She mentioned that they had not re-evaluated their budget in some time, and the area was struggling with a lack of donations from home groups. Despite having seven home groups and 10 meetings, only two groups, along with her own, were financially supporting the area. She explained that her home group tries to donate what they can by maintaining a small reserve for two months' rent and passing the rest to the area.

Tammy, from another area, shared that they faced a similar situation and responded by eliminating reliance on event revenue for their area budget. This ensured that the area wasn't dependent on the income from activities. Her area, consisting of 15 home groups and 20 meetings, decided that if member donations couldn't cover the costs, then they wouldn't operate above their means. She gave an example of how they had an event with 60 attendees, 25 of whom were newcomers who didn't contribute financially, but the event was still a success because their budget wasn't dependent on those extra funds.

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Jayme, a GSR from Heartland, asked how areas determine how much goes into a prudent reserve. She mentioned that her area lacked a treasurer and chair and was unsure how much to allocate. This led to a discussion about how different areas handle prudent reserves.

Nina, from the Bay Area, responded that her home group keeps two months' worth of expenses, including rent, literature, and other essentials. She also emphasized the importance of educating home groups about the Seventh Tradition and how donations should be used to carry the message to addicts who still suffer. Nina explained that many groups hold on to money without understanding its purpose, and part of her role as an RCM is to ensure GSRs are educated on how to manage funds and donations properly.

Pam, another area representative, shared that her area also routinely falls below its prudent reserve but isn't overly concerned because they still have enough in the bank to cover two months of expenses. She explained that a prudent reserve is meant for worst-case scenarios, and their area keeps enough funds in the bank to stay operational for two months, even if donations stop.

Carlos added that there is a spiritual aspect to handling finances, explaining that some groups operate by faith alone, without a prudent reserve. He also reminded the group of advice given at a zonal symposium: to take care of local areas first before sending excess money to regional or world services.

Jeff, from Palm Coast, discussed how his home group once made a large donation to the area from an event, but now they spread that donation over time, making monthly contributions to maintain a steady flow of support for the area budget.

Jackie, chair of the Forest Area, referred to NA literature, specifically the pamphlet "Money Matters: Self-Support in NA." She emphasized that groups should not hold on to large sums of money and should prioritize their financial responsibilities to ensure the NA service structure remains functional. She shared that her home group zeroes out their budget each month, donating everything beyond their two-month reserve to the area, region, and world.

Trina followed up by mentioning the Eleventh Concept, which emphasizes mutual responsibility at all levels of service. She suggested that groups review the concept to better understand their financial obligations and priorities.

The group then discussed how areas calculate their prudent reserves, with Colin explaining that his area multiplies their monthly expenses by 2.5 to determine the amount, and Pam mentioning that her area also sets aside funds for insurance deductibles and renewals.

Next, the conversation moved on to the viability of the GSR assembly. The conversation began with some pros and cons for keeping it vs facilitating making it a zonal event. Carlos shared about how it could be planned to incorporate more training workshops and suggestions to streamline events by reducing extra costs like meals if it were to stay regional. The Women in Service dinner, a longstanding tradition, was discussed, with ideas about how to continue it if the Florida Service Symposium were to be handed over to the zone, perhaps by integrating it into a local event like the GSR assembly.

The lunch segment was set up to provide an orientation for newcomers to the Florida Region:

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It was structured as a "Lunch and Learn" gathering with pizza provided from Red's Deli at the Rosen. Attendees, including Regional Committee Members (RCMs), facilitators, and members from various groups, had the opportunity to share knowledge about the structure and processes of the Florida Regional Service Committee (RSC). The primary focus was on clarifying and answering questions about how service works at the regional level, how to use the tools available, and the importance of ensuring group members are informed and able to contribute effectively.

Key Points Discussed:

### 1. Orientation and Training for RCMs:

\* New RCMs and GSRs (Group Service Representatives) were encouraged to review the RCM Training Tool available on the Florida Regional website. This tool helps new members understand their role, what is expected of them, and how they can contribute effectively on the RSC floor.

\* The importance of reviewing minutes from previous RSC meetings was emphasized, as it helps RCMs stay informed and ensures they can explain decisions and ongoing business when they return to their home groups. \* It was mentioned that the Florida Guide to Regional Service is available online and acts as a flexible document guiding decisions. It helps members understand how to navigate decisions and address conflicts. Unlike rigid policy documents, the guide allows for flexibility and adaptation when necessary.

### 2. Consensus-Based Decision Making (CBDM):

\* Several participants asked questions about CBDM and how it differs from Robert's Rules of Order. The RSC uses CBDM as its primary decision-making process, which requires 80% consensus for most decisions rather than a simple majority vote (51%).

\* In CBDM, members share perspectives instead of listing pros and cons. The goal is to find common ground and modify proposals to meet the concerns of as many members as possible. This ensures a more cooperative and unified decision-making process, and avoids the feeling that a minority of members are being overruled by a majority.

\* The guide helps explain when and how CBDM is applied, and the RCMs were encouraged to use it as a reference.

### 3. Roles and Responsibilities:

\* Attendees were reminded that RCMs hold significant responsibility. They serve as the voice of their area on the regional floor, and their input is crucial to guiding the decisions of the region. The session emphasized that RCMs should never hesitate to ask questions or seek clarification.

\* It was explained that on Sundays, when business is conducted, only RCMs have a voting voice. Other members, including facilitators and coordinators, do not vote but help guide the process.

\* Additionally, the importance of preparing reports and understanding old and new business was highlighted. RCMs were reminded to review past minutes to stay informed about ongoing discussions.

### 4. Florida Service Symposium and Future Planning:

\* The Florida Service Symposium was discussed, particularly in the context of whether it should continue to be a regional event or be passed to the Southeastern Zonal Forum. It was noted that other regions have already moved their service symposiums to zonal levels, which allows for more resources and participation from multiple regions. \* It was also mentioned that the Southeastern Zonal Forum has expressed interest in possibly taking over the symposium. A workgroup has been created to assess the viability of this.

\* Several ideas were brought up, including the possibility of streamlining the event to make it less expensive or expanding the GSR Assembly to include workshops and events that would offer similar value without the costs of the full symposium.

### 5. Additional Training and Resources:

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\* Attendees were encouraged to explore the resources available on the NA Florida Virtual Outreach YouTube channel, where they can find training videos and educational content on consensus-based decision making, as well as other aspects of regional service.

\* It was reiterated that the RCM Training Tool, CBDM Basics, and various online materials are there to support members in understanding and carrying out their roles effectively.

### 6. Importance of Communication and Teamwork:

\* Throughout the session, the facilitators emphasized the importance of open communication, teamwork, and asking for help when needed. RCMs were encouraged to reach out to the RD, AD, and facilitators for clarification on any issues they might face when reporting back to their areas.

### 7. Final Encouragement:

\* The session closed with encouragement for members to remain engaged, participate actively, and make use of all available resources to ensure they feel empowered to fulfill their roles in service.

This session was designed to foster understanding and collaboration, ensuring that all RCMs, whether new or experienced, feel supported in their service roles.

ILS,

Colin H

## ***H & I Resource Coordinator Report***

Hospitals and institutions, I have not done very much being recently elected. Plans on going forward by next RSC is to have a list of all the H+I Area, chairs, and information on their commitments And also get started a virtual By monthly meeting with the area chairs.

In loving service,

Cindy C

## ***Public Relations Resource Coordinator Report***

We would like to thank this Region for the opportunity to serve. Cindy C. has completed not

PR Resource Coordinator position and we would like to Welcome Charles D. as our new PR Co Resource Coordinator. (2 year term) also her prior commitment as Co PR Resource Coordinator position. Thank you for your service.

We attended our Fellowship Development team virtual meetings in August and September.

I was blessed to attend the World Convention in Washington D.C. and it was wonderful to see that NAWS provided 6 PR Forum Workshops. So much new information and PR resources were shared. It was a wonderful experience.

On September 9th we met with the area PR chairs for our Bi-monthly meeting. We had 13 members in attendance.

All areas shared what their PR committees have been working on and their upcoming tasks and events including any accomplishments and concerns.

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We had a member of the SEZF PR Task force present some of the PR Social Media Project information to our area PR members. This included information on the SEZF Facebook Page, some videos and information on all of the resources found on YOUTube - NA.Virtual.Outreach. We were very grateful to have the presentation.

The next Southeastern Zonal Forum (SEZF), PR Task Force Online Meeting meets virtually on September 25th, 2024 @ 8pm – 9pm. All members are invited to join, and it is a great opportunity for PR Committee Chairs and Vice Chairs to stay connected and access resources. **The meeting information is Join Zoom Meeting <https://zoom.us/j/898667927> Meeting ID: 898 667 927** – you can also go to [sezf.org](http://sezf.org) for all meeting information.

Another wonderful resource for all PR enthusiasts is the NAWs Web meetings. Currently they are meeting quarterly, if you email the below email, you can get updated emails to keep you up to date on when the next meet is scheduled. Public Relations web meetings are a gathering of area & regional PR trusted servants who share their experiences and challenges with PR service; topics are identified by PR trusted servants. For more information or notes from previous meetings, write to [pr@na.org](mailto:pr@na.org).

The CaroliNAs Multi-Regional Service Symposium will be on September 28th - 9am - 9pm - Hopefully I am going to attach the flyer to my report.

Any RCM's who do not have a current PR Chair, you are welcome to join our Bi-monthly meeting. Please contact me if you would like to be added to our virtual meeting group.

If you have any questions or would like additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at [prc@naflorida.org](mailto:prc@naflorida.org)

In loving service,

Liz B. and Cindy C. and Charles D.

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## ***Technology Resource Coordinator Report***

First, I would like to welcome our new IT panel members Charles and Robb. I'm excited to start working with you both!

The IT panel has been meeting every 2 weeks to work on updating processes and streamlining how things work. All new RCMs will have their emails set up soon so be on the lookout in your personal email box for further information. Please reach out with any questions or if you need any help getting those emails set up.

We are discussing switching the zoom settings for the RSC weekend from waiting room to password protected to streamline people getting into the meetings. The waiting room causes delays in people joining the meeting and may cause them to miss vital information.

As a reminder to have events added to our regional calendar you need to submit a New Event Submission Form from the Events page on our regional website. You can also reach out if you would like to link your area calendar to the regional calendar, please reach out to me via email for more information.

If you need any help with your websites or emails or have any questions, please reach out to me. We also have a member offering their services for website design and maintenance. If you are interested in this, please reach out to me directly.

We have positions available on the IT panel. If you are interested, please contact me or HRP for more information.

We are also in need of an Alt IT Coordinator. Please make sure your form is up to date and submitted to the HRP if you are interested.

I want to thank the region for allowing me to serve and all the help and support they have provided.

In Loving Service,

## **Corrections Resource Coordinator Report**

Greetings Florida Region,

Corrections is active in the Florida Region. The Corrections coordinator position is open, but the workgroup is active and Colin H is standing in as the secretary until such time that someone is voted in as the coordinator. It is expected that an interested person serve on the Corrections Workgroup for awhile prior to becoming the coordinator. There is a requirement of 3 years clean time. If you or someone you know is interested in joining the workgroup or becoming the coordinator, please find us on Zoom on the second Sunday of the month at 6:30p with the meeting ID of 810 1946 1788 and passcode of 111111. October's meeting has been adjusted to be on the first Sunday at 6:30p due to a scheduling conflict. These meetings are listed on the Florida Regional Calendar with flyers and how to join.

**There is a strong need for addicts to take meetings behind the walls in several areas within the Florida Region.**

Corrections is not H&I. There are several subtle differences that stem from the different focus. The goal of the Corrections workgroup is to start meetings that can stand on their own in the state and federal correctional institutions within the Florida region. Please be aware that working with the DOC will break your ability to stay anonymous as background checks and full names are typically required. We do have roles on the workgroup where you can stay anonymous though. Please join the workgroup meeting over zoom as listed below if you'd like to learn more or get involved.

There are five top level projects of the Corrections Workgroup.

These top level projects are, Behind the Walls, Inmate Step Working Guide, Bridging the Gap, Hope Rises, and Between the Walls.

The Behind the Walls project handles coordinating taking meetings into and building home groups that exist behind the walls of state and federal correctional institutions. This includes literature delivery to institutions to support this effort. The end game for this project is to have the addicts behind the walls running their own meetings. Depending on the institution, there are varying levels of this occurring. If you are willing to help start these meetings, attend the workgroup meeting.

The Inmate Step writing guide (ISWG) group is alive and well and anonymously working steps through the mail with those behind the walls. The group providing this service is based out of the Gold Coast area. The last numbers I received were that around 30 addicts were working steps anonymously with this group. If you want to get involved with the ISWG, please check out the flyer attached in my report to attend the monthly training over Zoom.

The Bridging the Gap program is also alive and well and addicts are being scheduled to meet those who are getting released at a meeting.

Action item for those reading: Please bring up at your H&I subcommittee meeting to request a liaison be (s)elected to coordinate when someone is getting released into your area. Typically we call the helpline and attempt to get connected that way, but having a direct connection would help and it would provide more understanding about what is going on.

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The Between the walls is our program is moving forward. "Between the Walls" means you will be able to chair a Zoom meeting from the comfort of your couch where all the participants are behind the walls at a Florida institution. Please contact me or the workgroup because we need volunteers to do this! I know several of you have told me that the reason you don't want to serve is because of the anxiety of going into prisons, so this is your solution! The pilot location chosen by the FL DOC is NW Florida Reception Center. They are still waiting on literature so the current meeting is with Appalachian CI.

Action item for those reading: Addicts with 1 or more years clean willing to submit a free background check with the state of Florida and join our Zoom meeting from 10a-11a on Thursdays. Even if you can only commit to one a month, we need you!

The Hope Rises Book Project (HRBP) is a Tshirt project where each sale of a t-shirt gets a basic text in the hands of an addict behind the walls in the Florida Region. These books are entirely purchased and shipping coordinated with RSO for correctional institution delivery. The Hope Rises project has fulling migrated to the Florida Region and we made enough to cover 20 books while at FRCNA. The t-shirts look great and we have passionate members in the group and we on the Corrections workgroup are excited and heppy to welcome them to the fold! If you are taking meetings into your local jails or prisons and are being asked about literature or how they can get a Basic Text, please find the Hope Rises Book Project flyer attached to this report to share it with them, the local chaplain, to the programming staff at the institution.

### HOW TO GET INVOLVED

1. Check out the flyers attached to the Corrections report and share them with your area and groups
2. Attend the Corrections workgroup meeting every other Thursday from 8-9p over Zoom. The next meeting is Thursday, September 21st and the Zoom meeting info is below:

The Zoom link is :

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87884216730?pwd=S2Jpb0JFaG9ISHpod1hmR0w5VVgrUT09>

Meeting ID: 878 8421 6730

Passcode: 111111

Please join the workgroup if you want to serve but not sure how.

### HOW TO GET CLEARED FOR BEHIND THE WALLS AND BETWEEN THE WALLS SERVICE

1. Familiarize yourself with the process:

It is a requirement to be registered with the State of Florida Department of Corrections volunteer system as well as complete a background check and fingerprints to attend an NA meeting in person at a prison or over Zoom that is streaming into a state or federal institution.

If the process is confusing, I have attached a powerpoint presentation going over the process that is built and distributed by the DOC. Please contact me if anything is still confusing after reviewing this presentation.

<http://www.fdc.myflorida.com/volunteer/documents/Training-powerpoint-for-Regular-Volunteers-updated-10-4-21.pdf>

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2. Apply to be a Florida DOC Volunteer

Florida DOC Volunteer Application

<https://apps.fdc.myflorida.com/VolunteerApplication/volunteer/create>

The DOC has an email problem so sometimes the volunteer forms don't get through. If you don't get an email right away when you submit your first volunteer form, (check spam), then contact me to give you another link to try.

3. Inform the Corrections Coordinator for applicant tracking

Forward the response email you received from the state of Florida when you applied at the link above to the Corrections Coordinator at [crc@naflorida.org](mailto:crc@naflorida.org). You can also text me at 352-642-2680.

4. (Optional: Track yourself in the system:

<http://fdc.myflorida.com/volunteer/Becoming%20a%20FDC%20Volunteer%20Checklist.pdf>)

The DOC has an email problem so sometimes the volunteer forms don't get through. If you don't get an email right away when you submit your first volunteer form, (check spam), then contact me to give you another link to try.

Corrections Secretary

Colin H

352-642-2680

## **RD/AD Report**

RD/AD Report September 15th, 2024

Hello all hope this finds you in good spirits and in great health!

We are suggesting you subscribe to NAWs news to get up-to-date information. You can

Subscribe at <https://www.na.org/?ID=reports-nawsnews-nawsmain-m>

This will keep you informed on anything happening in the world wide platform. Like lit., budgets and much more like special events workshops and training sessions

**There are some questions running around about the next WCNA Convention. If you recall we had motion: 8 that was to suspend the rotation schedule till the world board can discuss it and the conference participants will make a decision.**

If you remember I have been telling you about the survival guide guess what it's now available for you. Our RSO should have it by the time this report is available to you.

We also want to remind you that our fellowship works on membership contributions and we need your help please many members are donating their clean time or more. It can be set up and it will be taken out automatically and you do get receipts for your donation and a yearly statement that you can use for your taxes if you need to.

Membership survey please get it filled out soon as possible so we can start updating our membership survey Carlos and I are getting ready for the Interim that will be in all our hands on November 28th I strongly suggest that all RCMs download it print it whatever is your preference but you will be the communication between your groups and your RD/AD team. Am going to ask that you hold all your questions till after December 9th by that time your

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questions might be answer on December 7th We will have a meeting with some World Board members at 9am to go over the document then later on that afternoon we have a CP meeting at 2 pm eastern time

We will be attending the Southeastern Zonal Forum in Miami, Florida on December 7th and 8th. We are giving you and invitation for the Saturday morning session 9 am to 12. Once Carlos and I have had time for review and be mentored on the document we will see you on December 21st. at 2pm on a Virtual Platform. That you can find that information on [naflorida.org](http://naflorida.org)

NAWS has a new website and they are working on getting everything up unfortunately it's not a small job so it's going to take some time so they are asking for your corporation and patience.

We have included the zonal minutes in and attachment so you can reference our trip to North Carolina.

In Loving Service

RD/AD Team

Ramon R. & Carlos N

Attachments

### **HRP Report**

The panel met several times via Zoom since the July RSC. We conducted 7 interviews via Zoom and 1 in person interview for the PR Co-resource Coordinator, Alt Treasurer, IT Tech Panel Member, IT Interim Tech Panel Member, 3 Florida Regional Convention RSC elects, and 1 Regional Service Office RSC elect.

We currently have 153 (33 members will be removed on 9/30/24 if they do not update their form) active members in the volunteer pool. Keep in mind that not everyone who is a member of the volunteer pool meets the requirements of open positions or has the willingness to be on the floor of the RSC in an elected position. If you or someone you know meets the qualifications of any position and are willing to be a part of regional service, please have them contact a member of HRP or email [hrp\\_leader@naflorida.org](mailto:hrp_leader@naflorida.org). Remember this is a "WE" program!

Prior to RSC we emailed the current GTFRS, The Election Term Sheet, and recently a summary of Florida Region Election Months. We will continue to email them prior to RSC to your [naflorida.org](http://naflorida.org) email.

If you are new to service at Florida Region or have not completed a HRP Volunteer form in the past two years, please visit <https://naflorida.org/hrpform/>. All forms older than two years will be purged from the system

**Following are the current open FRSC positions; we are actively seeking and recruiting willing members to serve in the following capacities:**

**Corrections Resource Coordinator** – 3 years clean time, 2-year commitment, and fills out an HRP form or have in the last 2 years. Serve as the single point of contact between the state and federal correctional officials and institutions, within the Florida Region, for the purpose of carrying the NA message of recovery to the addict who still suffers behind the walls of state and federal correctional institutions.

**Technology Alternate Resource Coordinator** – 3 years clean time, 4-year commitment, and fills out an HRP form or have in the last 2 years. This is a training position to acclimate to the Technology Resource Coordinator position.

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**2 Technology Resource Panel Members** - up to 2 panel members with 4 years clean time, 2-year commitment, fills out an HRP form or have in the last 2 years. The Technology Resource Panel members will lend their knowledge and expertise in their specialties to the Technology Resource coordinators via monthly virtual meetings and may be asked to assist at various Regional functions.

Please refer to our Guide for additional qualifications and responsibilities for each open position; go to <https://naflorida.org/na-resources/>, under Regional Service Committee, and click Guide to Florida Regional Service.

**RSO Board is looking to fill 1 open RSC elect positions.** Please email Roger S. at roger4506@gmail.com for full qualifications and to set up your initial interview with the RSO board before your interview with HRP.

We ask that if you have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out to us collectively or individually.

In loving service,  
The Human Resource Panel of the Florida Region  
Jennifer, Kristi, Allen, Dixie, and Mark

***RSO Board Report***

RSO Report  
Florida RSC 9/15/2024

Greetings to the Florida Region from your Regional Service Office and its Board of Directors.  
The Board of Directors met on September 7, 2024, virtually.

At that time our balance with the WSO was \$0.00 However we have put in an order since then for \$58,083.31 and will be adding to that order so that we will have the new Survival Kits as well as possibly a SPAD special addition in a decorative box available for you to purchase from the RSO.

**In the bank at this time: \$ 45, 259.41**

**Inventory: \$138,838.58 that is retail value of \$154,000.85**

**CD Balances: 6716 \$10,057.22 matures 7/25/2025 at .05%**

**4705 \$12,835.67 Matures 11/13/2024 at 4.0%**

The first one I mentioned rolled over automatically and we are looking into cashing it in for a CD at a better interest rate. The interest should be more than the penalty for early withdrawal. We are looking into it.

Monthly sales:            June: \$56,974.22  
                                 July: \$56,355.52  
                                 August: \$53,903.20  
Up to September 5: \$ 2,287.20  
Year to date: \$181,248.41

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Here is the good news. We have been in the black for the past 4 months. Now don't get to excited it is only pennies that we made but we are not in the red and bleeding at this time. Our intention, if we keep moving in the direction we are going and increase income **it is the boards intention to pay back the RSC the \$3,500.00 you gave us last RSC.**

Now for our workers. Amanda will be leaving us and it does sadden us. Her last day will be September 19, 2024. She has been training Ashley who will step in as the Operations manager on September 23, 2024. We do have 2 candidates to replace Ashly's current position, and we will be giving them both a 2-week trial to see who best fits in that position. They both have been volunteering at the office up until now.

With the unfortunate events in the past month from the hurricane Roger has had his hands full attempting to recover from the disaster and rebuild his home, I know for all who is aware we are continuing to send prayers and love to him and his family. We have taken the ongoing investigation of reducing our waste management cost down and Tami and the office staff will continue to investigate this. They will also be looking into companies that process credit cards as the company we work with charges 3.999% which the customer is paying and we want to see if we can reduce that cost for our customers.

Come October when I return to Florida Roger and I will go to Case and change name on the accounts. All of the board members filled in conflict-of-interest forms as this is required now with the taxes.

Tim has now created a name and registered it for the RSC as a subsidiary under the RSO 501C-3. Now he will see if he can set up can account in the name of the RSC it will be a DBA but it will be an account that you will only use and we can put you signatures on. He will be contacting the bank and we will let the admin know as soon as we do. We are attempting to smooth out some of the issues with the treasurer of this region, however it still is a work in progress.

N a side not one of the printers died on us and we will be getting a new one. We saw one that will do the job for \$299.00

**Now looking to the future, we will be looking for specialty items that we can make a minimum of a 100% profit on because as you see from the inventory cost value of literature and the retail value there is not enough money to sustain the RSO on the literature alone if we are to keep the cost to you at the same price as world sells it for. More will be revealed as we look into those specialty items.**

We also have a nomination for our Board of Directors. Dez.

Finally we welcome you to come and visit our office Monday to Thursday 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM and see some of the specialty items. We are at: 2222 South Combee Rd.

Lakeland, Florida

In the heart of the Florida Region.

In loving Service,  
RSO Board of Directors  
Roger S. President  
Joel B. Vice President

## ***FRC Board Report***

To: Florida Regional Service Conference

From: FRCNA, Inc.

CC: FRCNA, Inc. BOD

Date: July 21, 2024

RE: RSC Report

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Good afternoon, Florida Region,

First and foremost, the FRCNA BOD would like to take this opportunity to THANK every one of YOU!!! Our gratitude for this WE fellowship goes without saying and YOU definitely showed up.... planning and execution, pre-registering online, registered on-site, attended, participated, zoomed, volunteered, your enormous self-less service, so many of you who fulfilled commitments, our main speakers, workshop speakers, chairpersons, support committee members, regional and area servants, vendors and most importantly the Newcomers! YOU made this, the most undeniably, absolutely, without a doubt.... the very BEST FRCNA!!!

You inspired us to believe that after 360 days of hard work and commitment, once again, WE can achieve any goal, any time...especially 5 days of FRCNA XLII "When at the End of the Road"!!! WE serve at your pleasure and want to express that we are immensely humbled by the outpouring of love, hugs, excitement, gratitude, willingness, spirit, and patience demonstrated by OUR fellowship. THANK YOU...THANK YOU...THANK YOU!!!

The FRCNA, Inc. BOD met yesterday May 20, 2024, onsite. Our policy was updated when we met on July 1st and which time we updated our best practices and timelines. On July 5th we interviewed 3 BOD candidates for FRSC-elect and the FRCNA BOD President notified the HRP Leader of the candidates we were recommending: Patty K., Mike D. and Dennis J. When the candidates are elected, we are in compliance with our policy of 2 BOD members from each Area.

CFO Report: Our fiscal year ends on July 31st. Current expenditures revealed that we had a decrease in registrations and attendance which gives us an approximate \$20,000 loss of revenue. Coffee was \$18,053.06. We are fiscally prudent going into the next convention cycle for FRCNA 43. Our final accounting and CFO report will be available next RSC.

### Support Committees

We started on Wednesday and ended on Sunday... a long week for all those that volunteered. We received mainly positive feedback regarding the Program, workshop topics apparently were a hit. We had 120 workshops speakers and 62 chairpersons that the Program Team filled within 3 weeks of the convention. There were only 4 chairperson and 2 speakers that needed to be backfilled. The FRSC Service Track facilitated by the Rd & AD Team along with FD was well attended. We feel this is the recipe to place it on the Program on Saturday in the 10AM timeslot for 90 minutes. The main speakers all spoke for a minimum of 45 minutes and we received positive feedback and the fellowship really liked our 2 Regional speakers the most! If you or someone you know would like to be a workshop speaker next year, We made sign-up sheets available in each workshop and you can always email [info.frcna.com](mailto:info.frcna.com), clean time requirements are 4 years to speak. Marathon is always available for members who are not registered and there were a couple of Marathon meetings that were medallion celebrations. We are considering changing the name of the Marathon meeting to FRCNA Open Discussion Meeting from 6AM – 12AM.

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The Serenity Keepers & Greeters were everywhere, if you wanted a dog vest, you were asked to do service, one of the recovery houses, Project 108 all signed up to be Greeters or Serenity Keepers. This was the best Serenity Keeper & Greeters chairperson ever and she worked closely with the Program Team to ensure that everyone attending the convention was wearing a badge.

Registration went smoothly and our experience since streamlining our process with the Square registers and online pre-registration is cost effective and positive. We had very few members compared to last year that were unwilling to pay for registration. How did you like that swag in your pre-registration and registration packets? Pre-registration for FRCNA 43 is online only this year and was launched Saturday night. Our July Special is only \$50 until 5PM on July 31st. The hotel booking link is also up on the Venue tab to book your room. Onsite registration for FRCNA 43 will be \$70.

Hospitality/Escape Room, our members like to be busy with puzzles and card games as well as drinking coffee and socializing in the Hospitality room. The Escape Adventures, there were 2 Adventures on Friday and Saturday were a HUGE hit. There were teams of 4-8 and two winning teams, 1 Friday and 1 Saturday. The Escape Room which was one each on Friday and Saturday nights and an ENORMOUS hit! The teams were locked in a room, a live immersive and interactive with a set of clues and one member handcuffed to a table and whoever escaped in the least amount of time, won. The winning team was all girls of which 2 of the 8 members were newcomers. Thank you to our Recording Secretary/Program Co-Chair did a fantastic job putting together the scripts and clues for the Escapes which were all recovery orientated.

Entertainment which included the dance on Friday & Saturday, Yoga, Auction and Comedy Show were all well attended and a nice variation from workshops and speakers. Thank you to our Zoom Team for an awesome job zooming the Main speakers and Corrections. This was Arlyn's last year providing ASL for the Main speakers, we thank her for her service.

Merchandise went well, the Stanley cups were popular and sold out. The Limited Edition Sunday only t-shirt was launched a little too late. Lesson learned, promo limited edition merchandise earlier.

Don't forget that you can find and follow us on FB, Instagram, Threads and X.

The Service Heroes Banner is awarded to the SUNCOAST Area for the most number of hours volunteering. Bay Area was 2nd and Heartland came in 3rd.

The first Support Committee for planning FRCNA XLIII is scheduled for Sunday 10/20/24 from 10AM-12PM at the Rosen Centre.

It's time to start planning....FRCNA XLIII (43) "Vision Without Limits"!  
Let's GOOOOOO!!!

ILS and on behalf of the entire FRCNA BOD

Shar S., President

Stephanie W., Vice-President

## ***Old Business***

## ***New Business***

Number: 2024-09-01

Maker: Big Bend

Proposal: Request for Region to pay \$275 for Big Bend RCM travel to RSC weekend. \$275 is the Big Bend budget for RCM travel yet they do not currently have the funds.

Intent: Allow the Big Bend RCM to attend RSC weekend and assist the area with the cost as they do not have the funds available.

Spiritual Impact: Regional support and unity for our member Areas

Financial Impact: \$275

Guide to Florida Region Service Change: None

Outcome: Passed - 18 for and 1 abstain

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Number: 2024-09-02

Maker: Treasurer

Proposal: To modify the donation to NAWS for one time. Normally, per the Guide to Florida Regional Service, the RSC would donate all money above prudent reserve. In anticipation of travel to and from Island Nations, it is proposed to hold back the \$4200 allocated for that already budgeted line item from our current donation. Holding this money back for anticipated use would make our donation after RSC in the amount of \$7124.25.

Intent: To allow us to have funds available for potential upcoming Island Nation Travel without having to dip into our prudent reserve at that time.

Spiritual Impact: Financial Prudence and responsibility

Financial Impact: None

Guide to Florida Region Service Change: None

Outcome: Passed - 19 assent

## ***Elections***

Position: PR Co-resource Coordinator

Member: Charles D

Nominated by: Forest

2nd by: First Coast

HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications

Outcome: Elected

Position: Alt Treasurer

Member: Lyla T

Nominated by: Funcoast

2nd by: Big Bend

HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications

Outcome: Elected

Position: FRC board member

Member: Dennis J

Nominated by: Greater Orlando

2nd by: Sun Coast

HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications

Outcome: Elected

Position: FRC board member

Member: Mike D

Nominated by: Tampa Funcoast

2nd by: River Coast

HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications

Outcome: Elected

Position: FRC board member

Member: Patti K

Nominated by: Sun Coast

2nd by: Coquina Coast

HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications

Outcome: Elected

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Position: TRP member  
Member: Charles B  
Nominated by: Suncoast  
2nd by: First Coast  
HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications  
Outcome: Elected

Position: TRP Interim Member  
Member: Robb K  
Nominated by: River Coast  
2nd by: Greater Orlando  
HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications  
Outcome: Elected

Position: RSO  
Member: Dez S  
Nominated by: Coquina Coast  
2nd by: First Coast  
HRP: Requirements read; meets qualifications  
Outcome: Elected

### ***Open Positions***

Volunteer! All NA members of the Florida Region are encouraged to fill out a Human Resource Panel volunteer form at [naflorida.org/hrpform](http://naflorida.org/hrpform) to be added to the HRP's pool of volunteers.

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Technology Resource Panel - up to 3 panel members with 4 years clean time, 2 year commitment, up to 2 interim panel members with 1 year clean time, 1 year commitment with no term limits, and fill out an HRP form or have in the last 2 years. The Technology Resource Panel members will lend their knowledge and expertise in their specialties to the Technology Resource coordinators via monthly virtual meetings, may be asked to assist at various Regional functions.

RSO Board is looking to fill 1 open RSC elect positions, 3 years clean, 1 year commitment, must have at least one-year prior experience in business management or prior Board involvement, at least one-year prior experience in NA Regional Service Work, and present membership, in good standing in the Florida Region of NA.

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Please refer to the Guide to Florida Regional Service for additional qualifications and responsibilities for each open position.

### **Wrap Up**

Reach out! Have questions? Contact your local area's RCMs or message the Florida Region at [info@naflorida.org](mailto:info@naflorida.org).

Volunteer! All NA members of the Florida Region are encouraged to fill out a Human Resource Panel volunteer form at [naflorida.org/hrpform](http://naflorida.org/hrpform) to be added to the HRP's pool of volunteers.

Show up! All NA members have a voice at the Florida Region's Fellowship Development on Saturdays and are welcome to attend the Regional Service Committee Business Meeting on Sundays. FD and RSC meetings will be in a hybrid format indefinitely. If you would like to attend in person or virtually, please see details below, or visit [naflorida.org/rsc](http://naflorida.org/rsc) for more information.

### **Nov 15th - 17th 2024**

[naflorida.org/hotel/nov2024](http://naflorida.org/hotel/nov2024)

Rosen Centre Hotel

9840 International Drive

Orlando, Florida 32819

Phone: (407) 996-9840

Room Rate : \$143/night

See [naflorida.org/rsc](http://naflorida.org/rsc) for discounted parking information

Cut off date: October 25, 2024

September RSC Activity Hosted by: Admin NA Jeopardy Challenge/Coquina Coast Family Feud

Saturday FD: [naflorida.org/virtualfd](http://naflorida.org/virtualfd) or Zoom ID 843 0454 1072

Date/Time: Nov 16, 2024 @ 9:00 am

Sunday FRSC Business Meeting: [naflorida.org/virtualrsc](http://naflorida.org/virtualrsc) or Zoom ID: 845 9148 0010

Date/Time: Nov 17, 2024 @ 9:00 am

Admin Meeting: Zoom ID: 823 2896 0092 Passcode: FRSC

Date/Time: Oct 14 and Nov 11, 2024 @ 8:30 pm

## Becoming a FDC Volunteer

### **Fill out Volunteer Application Online**

Internet -

<https://apps.fdc.myflorida.com/VolunteerApplication/volunteer/cr>

Mobile App



## Checklist

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Email - <https://apps.fdc.myflorida.com/VolunteerApplication>

**Check for received email** prompting you to make an appointment to get fingerprinted

Call facility and **make appointment** for fingerprints

**Get fingerprinted (using the ORI# "FL037H75C")**

Wait to **receive training email** (Click on link)

**Email Volunteer Services** for Training username and password ([OPR-VolunteerServices@fdc.myflorida.com](mailto:OPR-VolunteerServices@fdc.myflorida.com) )

**Complete Online Training:**

Complete the following components of online training in the following order: a. Volunteer training manual

b. The CJIS component (where you use the username and password; when complete, you will receive a certificate)

c. Entrance and exit procedures

d. HIPAA

e. PREA

**Contact facility and Receive PIN#**

Once completed online training, contact the Chaplain or Assistant Warden of Programs at facility you registered with to discuss Volunteer options and to receive your PIN#

## **CAR/CAT FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### **Q: What is the CAR?**

**A:** The CAR (Conference Agenda Report) is a compilation of motions that have been brought before Narcotics Anonymous (“NA”), at the world level, during a World Service Conference (“WSC”). They are one of the ways NA World Services informs the fellowship of NA, all over the world, what is happening, what needs to be discussed, what needs to be voted on, and the future direction of the NA fellowship, worldwide, as a whole.

### **Q: Why do we need the CAR?**

**A:** Just as we have motions and business meetings at group levels, area levels and regional levels we also have them at the world level. They are voted on at the WSC, once every two years, by delegates from each region in the world. The CAR is made in preparation for these World Service Conferences. Motions can be made by regions or the World Board, with motions made by regions often involving issues important to the region, and World Board motions important to the entire world wide fellowship. Because these motions affect NA as a whole, and impact NA members all around the world, the delegates from the regions are directed to vote based upon the consensus of the region itself.

### **Q: What’s in the CAR?**

**A:** Items that typically are included in the CAR would be motions to accept the previous WSC minutes, motions on processes to be used during the upcoming WSC, motions made by various NA Regions around the world, reports, proposals, motions from the World Board and amendments to existing CAR motions. During a CAR-related “Discussion and Decisions” session, at the WSC, motions contained in the CAR (and any amendments to those motions) are carefully discussed and considered.

### **Q: What is the CAT?**

**A:** The CAT is one of three different types of approval tracks for NA literature and service material (the other two being the Fellowship-Approval Track, and the World Board-Approval Track. For more information, see this PDF entitled “History of the Board-Approval Track” ([https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/servicemat/Board\\_Approval\\_Track\\_History.pdf](https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/servicemat/Board_Approval_Track_History.pdf)), and/or the current version of the GWSNA ([https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/handbooks/2020-2023%20Draft%20GWSNA\\_May22.pdf](https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/handbooks/2020-2023%20Draft%20GWSNA_May22.pdf))

### **Q: What types of NA literature and Service Materials would be covered by the CAT?**

**A:** Examples of literature covered in the CAT would include Handbooks (i.e. “Public Relations Handbook”), Service manuals (i.e. “A Guide to World Services”), and Information Pamphlets (i.e. IP #12 The Triangle of Self-Obsession). In addition, the CAT would contain a variety of other material, that was not included in the CAR, such as the proposed NAWS Budget, project plans for the upcoming cycle, seating requests, recommendations from the World Board, and other service, or WSC-related material.

### **Q: Why do we need the CAT if we already have the CAR?**

**A:** Prior to the Year 2000, all service material motions were included in the CAR making it an even more extensive, and complicated, report than it is now. Many groups complained that the CAR was overwhelming and the focus didn’t feel relevant to them. So, in 2000, a new mailing (the CAT) was proposed that would not only include motions on proposed literature, but would also include other items such as the proposed NAWS Budget,

project plans for the upcoming cycle, seating requests, recommendations from the World Board, and other service, or WSC-related material.

**Q: Why should I care about the CAR or the CAT?**

**A:** You probably already know, or at least have heard, that NA is a “we” program, not an “I” program. This means your input is both needed, **and** very important to the present, and future, of NA worldwide.

In addition, and the World Board said it best: *“There’s a sense of pride when we can see the results of discussions and decisions after reading the CAR. When we see a particular piece of literature on the rack at our meetings and we can say to ourselves, “I voted on that piece,” we feel connected to NA in a way that we may not have felt before. It’s our chance to be part of that “collective expression” our Mission Statement talks about.”*

**Q: How do I take part in this whole CAR/CAT process?**

**A:** Each Group has an opportunity to learn about, and vote on, the motions contained within the CAR/CAT The Group Service Representative (“GSR”) learns about the motions by attending a CAR/CAT workshop. The GSR then holds a meeting with their group (suggested as a separate one from the business or regular meeting) to explain the motions and conduct voting.

**Q: How are votes reported?**

**A:** At their local Area Service Committee (ASC) meeting, the GSR gives the Regional Committee Member (RCM) their Group’s votes. The RCM brings votes to the regional meeting where they will upload them with the help of the secretary team. Or the Group can place their votes online at <https://naflorida.org/gsr>. Then the delegate team (“RD /AD”) at the Regional Service Committee (RSC) meeting reviews the votes and reports the outcome to the regional body. The delegate team then carries the votes from the Region and presents them at the WSC.

**Q: What is the FIPT?**

**A:** FIPT (Fellowship Intellectual Property Trust) is the legal document that outlines (in detail) the relationship between Narcotics Anonymous World Services, Inc. and the Fellowship as a whole. Basically, NAWS holds the copyrights to the Fellowship’s property (recovery literature, the service symbol, the NA symbol, and the original group logo) on behalf of the Fellowship. NAWS is accountable to the Fellowship through elected delegates and ultimately the registered groups of Narcotics Anonymous.

Sources: [http://www.westernqueensna.org/pdf/service/carreport\\_info.pdf](http://www.westernqueensna.org/pdf/service/carreport_info.pdf)

[https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/servicemat/Board\\_Approval\\_Track\\_History.pdf](https://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/servicemat/Board_Approval_Track_History.pdf)

<http://www.na.org/admin/include/spaw2/uploads/pdf/handbooks/2020->

[2023\\_Draft\\_GWSNA\\_Oct21.pdf](#)

<https://www.na.org/?ID=legal-fiptfaq#:~:text=1.->

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ILS, Your RCM team,  
Gladys S. and Daniel S.



## Greater Orlando Area Service Committee of Narcotics Anonymous Hospitals & Institutions Subcommittee

**Date:** Thursday, October 17, 2024

**Location:** Redeemer Lutheran Church- 3377 Aloma Ave, Winter Park FL, 32792

**Orientation:** 6:30 PM, Chaired by Austin B.

**Members Present:** 3

**Subcommittee Meeting:** 7:00 PM, Chaired by Stephanie M.

**Members Present:** 27

**Total Meetings:** 80 meetings held (total number of presentations which took place) @ 17 Facilities

**Commitments:** We have 79 total possible commitments at 34 total facilities. Of those, 21 are filled at 17 facilities.

### General Report:

- We are still working diligently to update our facility contact lists for both clearance and non-clearance facilities. I have asked both coordinators to highlight some facilities which have been vacant for an extended period.
  - Clearance updates:
    - We currently have 5 applications out for people getting into clearance facilities
    - University Behavioral Center has been very unresponsive in the past but a new contact for this facility was provided.
    - Still need people for Advent Health
  - Non-Clearance updates:
    - ORC has asked for support as they went from 3 meetings to 1
- Tom O brought up bringing clean time paper key tag cards into the Orange County jail. We need to get feedback on an area/region level before it can be voted on at the subcommittee level. If approved panel leaders will be able to bring in paper “key tags” into the facilities for residents to track clean time. Will be brought up for input during the open floor.
- We had 2 members express interest in the ad hoc so we did not move further with a meeting, we will revisit next meeting.
- Reminded body of qualifications for a panel leader:
  - Must be able to attend their commitment every week (or as agreed upon with facility)
  - 6-month commitment period
  - Must attend orientation
  - Complete 4 shadows
  - 1 year of clean time required
    - For clearance facilities different requirements may apply please get with John K. for more information on these requirements
    - At 6 months someone can share their story

- At 90-days you can begin to shadow (must do an orientation with the panel leader to qualify to shadow)
- Passed along flyer from RCM for inmate work group (a non-H&I program) looking for volunteers who may be interested in joining the zoom call. We had a few members' express interest.

### **Elections**

- Co facilitator Role:
  - Austin B. was elected by subcommittee, but unable to attend area last month so he will need to get acclimated this month on 11/10.
- Kirsten Y., Tina and Melanie S. want to share the commitment with at Crossroads – the decision was unanimous for the shared commitment at Crossroads. They will need to complete orientation.

### **Concerns or Needs**

Are we able to bring clean time business cards into the Orange County jail to be able to bring them in place of key tags? We need to get cleared on an area/region level to get additional input before it can be voted on at the subcommittee level. We typically do not bring them into H&I presentations to facilities.

### **Upcoming Events**

The next subcommittee meeting will be Thursday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 PM. We will have orientation at 6:30 for new members and be meeting after the meeting for those interested in the ad hoc.

**In Loving Service,**

*Stephanie M*



## October 2024 Committee Report

- ✓ **October 29, 2024 Meeting**
  - Open meeting with a moment of silence followed by Serenity Prayer
  - Read 12 Traditions & 12 Concepts
  - Welcomed everyone, 2 first time attendees present – Thank you for attending!
  - Nine members present in total including Phone Line Volunteers
  
- ✓ **Phoneline**
  - Coordinator 1 provided the following Phone Line information for the month of October
  - Introduction of new members to committee
  - 143 Total Calls for the Month Increase of 30 Calls
    - 74 were answered direct +22 from previous month
    - 6 Just for Today Readings +1 from previous month
    - 35 Meeting Search by Prompt +4 from previous month
    - 9 meeting searches by Text -6 from previous month
    - 19 Voice Mails were left and answered if the caller left a name +9 from previous month
  - We are now tracking the differences from month to month so we can identify any trends and how future PR efforts might affect the number of Phone line contacts as a result of a particular event or contact.
  
- ✓ **Phoneline Ongoing Issues**
  - Spanish Recording on automated response needs to be repaired so it is more understandable. Seems to be a technical issue.
  - Discussed the most recent storms and how we are disseminating meeting information
    - Single point of accountability within the committee and for you the members
    - Use of What's App as a resource?
    - Future use of FB?
    - How information gets to and from the facilities H&I serves
    - Efficient method of providing meeting information to Phoneline carriers, H&I volunteers, H& I facilities, and Web Servants, regional Phone line?
    - Found a need to generate a “Best Practices” for the above in the event of a storm or other disaster that has a large scale impact on Meeting places.
  - Coordinator II position is open
  - Two new Phone line volunteers for orientation.
  - Coordinator II, Ben, has stepped down. Thank you, Ben, for your service.
  
- ✓ **Public Relations / Upcoming Events**
  - Made contact with a new Coalition called Recovery Friendly Workplace – FL This coalition is a statewide organization. Their mission is to supply employers with tools to create supportive inclusive environments and help people re-enter the workforce with dignity and purpose. State and Federal. The Coalition will host its first meeting on November 14 at 2PM. We received an invitation and will attend via Zoom. We also have provided the information to our Regional PR Coordinators.
  
- ✓ **Contacts to be made** – We began the process of making new contacts and members were each assigned a specific facility or corporation to find contact information for either a Public Relations representative, Press person or CEO, etc. In November we will edit letters of introduction and then try to make contact in hopes of providing resources, such as a QR Poster,

presentation, PSA, etc. We assigned the following entities as targets:

- UCF Nursing School
  - Full Sail University
  - Orange County Drug Free Coalition -
  - Advent Health
  - Orlando City Soccer
  - Kia Center
- ✓ The target date to have an affirmative contact made and needs determination will be January 2025. This will become an ongoing project as human resources allows.
- ✓ **On Going Business** – We discussed the use of language that the professional community uses and why it is important for us to use that language, e.g. instead of “addiction” we use “substance Use Disorder; “addict” we say “a person with a substance use disorder”. In this way we become more attractive to both persons with substance use disorder as well as the professionals who are interacting with us or potential members.

### **New Business –**

**We reviewed the following and provide some additional handouts for members to use as an educational guide and best practices for internal and external public relations.**

- **Do’s Don’ts when interacting with professionals**
  - **Sample Letters**
  - **Review of Booth Guidelines -**
  - **FAQ’s for Public Consumption**
- ✓ **Future Projects / Attendance / Presentations**
- We discussed the development of a Push Only FB page – no action will be taken until we produce a full and complete presentation to the ASC for decision. This is in an exploratory stage **ONLY**
- ✓ **Our next meeting will be held on November 26, 2024**
- ✓ **Close with a prayer**



## Greater Orlando Area Activities Subcommittee Report

**ASC Date:** 11/10/2024

**Meeting Date:** 11/04/2024

**Members Present:** 6

**Location:** Dr. James R. Smith Neighborhood Center; 1723 Bruton Blvd.  
Orlando, FL 32805

Opened the meeting with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. The Twelve Traditions and Twelve Concepts were read.

### **Old Business:**

- None

### **New Business:**

- New meeting time, 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm. This is because there is an afterschool program that utilizes the room until 6:30 pm.
- Discussed the 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Event to be held on Saturday, February 1, 2025, from 6 pm to 11 pm. To be held at Winter Park Community Center, 721 W. New England Ave. Winter Park, FL 32789. The cost per person is \$20. Tickets will be given at the time of purchase.
  - The cost for the facility is \$1225 for the large ballroom. Holds up to 350. Includes 30% (already taken off the listed price, we are checking on a 15% additional discount if we hold a fundraising party there first- see below).
  - We are working on a budget; Anthony should have one to present at ASC this Sunday.
  - Will include Learning Day from 6 pm – 7 pm
  - Dinner and Dancing from 7 pm – 10:30 pm
  - Clean up will start at 10:30 pm
- Discussed a fundraising event for the 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Celebration to be held on Saturday, January 4, 2025.

- We discussed a few different locations, and we decided on Winter Park Community Center. We are going to reach out this week to find out if January 4, 2025, would work for use of the Elm Room (which holds 108). We have other options to choose from should WPCC not be available. More will be revealed at ASC.
- This event will be approximately 4 hours (6 – 10 pm) long and will include spaghetti, salad, spades, and dominos!
- We are projecting this event will cost \$10 per person.
- Discussed a new coffee budget for Activities at ASC going forward.
  - Anthony spent \$119.09 to provide coffee, cups, creamer, sugar, and a tote for storage and to keep items fresh.
  - We are asking that the budget be expanded from \$25 annually to \$ 150 annually.

### **Elections:**

- None

### **Concerns or Needs:**

- New coffee budget
- For GSRs and other ASC members to keep announcing Activities Subcommittee involvement with our new meeting time
- For GSRs and other ASC members to hype up our upcoming events

### **Upcoming Events:**

- 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Celebration & Learning Day on Saturday, February 1, 2025, 6:00 pm to 10:30 pm at the Winter Park Community Center, 721 W. New England Ave. Winter Park, FL 32789.
- Fundraiser for our 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Celebration & Learning Day on Saturday, January 4, 2025, 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm. The venue will be confirmed (hopefully) at ASC on Sunday.

**In Loving Service,**

Anthony G., Chair

## Celebration of Unity committee meeting

November 2024

13 in Attendance

Open w. Serenity Prayer

Concepts: Kevin H.

Service Prayer: Lia M.

### Roll Call:

Lead: Present

Co-Lead: Present

Treasure: Present

Alt. Treasurer: Vacant

Secretary: Present

Alt. Secretary: Present

Programming: Absent Excused

Registration: Present

Graphics & Merch: Present

Hotel & Hospitality: Present

Marathon: Present

### Open Position:

Alt Treasurer

Matthew N. was nominated, but he will need to attend 2 consecutive COU committees first.

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### Chair Report:

Sam G. was approached about providing Username and Password for FB Unity page but was reluctant to do so. Instead, the idea of having another admin was discussed. Webpage was approached about adding the Spanish registration to COU onto the GOASCNA website. We were advised that would be rather difficult to do. Marathon chair was approached about COU committee attendance.

### **Sub-committee Reports:**

#### **Hotels and Hospitality: Cindy C.**

Did not meet the month of October. We have 10 members in the subcommittee and we can now begin to assign duties, make plans, and create a budget. Will be meeting in November. More to report next month.

**Fundraising: Lia M.**

Cornhole event was a huge success. 50\$ to rent the space was donated. Food and supplies (-\$245.00)

Cornhole registrations = \$724.00. Food + tickets + donations = \$1557.26

Total: \$2281.26

-\$245.00

\$2036.26 Profit

Upcoming events: Spanish speaker meeting plus dinner. New date, maybe the end of January?

Softball tourney. Issue with the fields and will discuss at the next subcommittee meeting.

Sponsorship formal dinner. Spring 2025.

\*If all goes as planned, these events will generate an approx \$4600.00\* Next subcommittee 11/6 @6pm.

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**Programming: Carlos**

26 workshops in total, 52 speakers ½ will be local and the other half will be from out of town. There was a total of 27 different topics discussed. A proposed budget will be worked on. Also discussed will be to have a more specified topics for the LGBTQ community. Each member will be assigned topics and will need to find speakers for that assigned topic. A meet and greet social idea were discussed on Friday from 4-6pm. Pizza or ice-cream social. More ideas will be discussed. A completed timeline from Friday – Sunday was discussed. Yoga meeting on Sunday and or a mediation meeting Saturday am or pm was discussed. Next meeting 11-21 @6pm.

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**Treasurer: Bruce P.**

Starting balance is: \$10,411.79.

Year to Date Expenses: \$225.00 (Rent for 89months (Admin))  
\$10.05 (Cornhole (Fundraising))  
\$2500.00 (Deposit for Convention: (Hotel and Hospitality))  
\$150.00 Meeting Space June and Aug. (Programing)  
\$84.00(CC Reader: Registration)  
\$18.00(62qty @20\$: Registrations)  
\$476.00 (200qty Hats (Merch))  
\$491.00 ( 70qty T-Shirts)  
\$67.00 (Flyers)

Year to date Income: \$3.00Pay-Pal Test (Admin))  
\$333.00 Pie In The Face (Fundraising)  
\$1996.00 Cornhole (Fundraising)  
\$1240.00 (62 x \$20 Registration)

Year to date Total Expense: \$4010.00

Year to date Total Income: \$3642.00

Current Balance: \$10,044.00

**Merchandise:**

No report provided.

23 hats and 5 shirts have been sold.

**Registration:**

No report provided.

62 Registrations have been sold.

**Marathon:**

No report provided.

Old Business:

Flyers and banners were discussed. We would like to have 4 ideas for a theme or a design and have the AREA vote on the winner via GOASCNA web site.

**ILS: Linda and Marty**



## Greater Orlando Area Workgroup Update

**ASC Date:** 11/10/2024

**Meeting Date:** 12/01/2024

**Location:** Orange County Public Library- Downtown Orlando, 101 E. Central Ave. Orlando, FL 32801, Magnolia Room- Third Floor

This month we were able to set our first meeting date. It will be on Sunday, December 1, 2024, from 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm. The room will hold 25 (currently we have 13 interested), so there is room if more would like to join. Street parking is free.

Please reach out to Natasha at [NatashaPNAService@gmail.com](mailto:NatashaPNAService@gmail.com) if you are interested in being a part of this workgroup. There will be water and snacks, BYOC (bring your own coffee) because the library charges for hot catering.

Look forward to seeing you there and we are excited to get this workgroup going!

**In Loving Service,**

Natasha P



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## GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Just For Today

LOCATION OF MEETING: First Baptist Church of Lake  
Monroe, 691 Monroe Rd, Sanford, FL, 32771

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 6 NEWCOMERS: 3

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 0 LITERATURE: \$ 0

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 11/19/24

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: None

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R.: Colin

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Paulo



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## GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP\_NAME: The Breakfast Club

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1723 Bruton Blvd

TYPE OF MEETING: Speaker

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 25 NEWCOMERS: 3

DONATION TO AREA: \$ .42 LITERATURE: \$ 14.58

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: \_\_\_\_\_

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: \_\_\_\_\_

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Recovery On Campus

LOCATION OF MEETING: UCF / Pride Commons

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 15 NEWCOMERS: 2

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 45.25 LITERATURE: \$       

TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT: \$ 45.25

PAYMENT METHOD: (circle one)  PayPal  Check  Money Order  Zelle

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 1<sup>st</sup> Wed, 8:00pm

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: All Treasurer, Secretary

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R.: Dan F.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Rick G.



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10

GROUP NAME: LEARNING TO LIVE

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1655 Peel Ave. "Conway Room"

TYPE OF MEETING: OPEN

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 30 NEWCOMERS: 3

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 203.55 LITERATURE: \$ 19.45

TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT: \$ 223.00

PAYMENT METHOD: (circle one)  PayPal  Check  Money Order  Zelle

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 1st wtednesday 11/10

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: All ALT positions open

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R. : MIKEL M.

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Living the Dream

LOCATION OF MEETING: Recovery Connections  
7912 Forest City Rd.

TYPE OF MEETING: open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 25 NEWCOMERS: 3

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DONATION TO AREA: \$ 86.03 LITERATURE: \$ ∅

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 11/3/24

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: none

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: none

G.S.R.: Alexandra R.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Jessie B.



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Changing through the Steps

LOCATION OF MEETING: 4921 S US HWY 1792  
Casselberry, FL 32707

TYPE OF MEETING: LIT

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 137 NEWCOMERS: 4

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 333 LITERATURE: \$ ~

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 11/4/24

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: Ø

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: Ø

G.S.R.: Kyle M

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Jakes

Zelle



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## GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP\_NAME: The only game in town

LOCATION OF MEETING: 13502 TOWN LOOP BL. OR 97132837

TYPE OF MEETING: Open discussion / closed

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 23 NEWCOMERS: 2

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 44.4 LITERATURE: \$ 7.60

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: First Friday

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: None

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R. : Alma F

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



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## GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: No Matter What

LOCATION OF MEETING: 150 E. Jackson street  
Orlando, FL

TYPE OF MEETING: closed

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 50 NEWCOMERS: 7

DONATION TO AREA: \$ Ø LITERATURE: \$ Ø

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 1st Thursday of month @ 6pm

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: Alt GSR

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R.: Carlos J.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: \_\_\_\_\_



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## GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11-10-24

GROUP NAME: Compass to Hope

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1216 Hoffner Ave  
32809 Orlando FL

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 17 NEWCOMERS: 2

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 37.86 LITERATURE: \$ 98.14

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: AH. GSR

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: ~~None~~ —

G.S.R.: John H.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: —

2 money orders



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11-9-2024

GROUP\_NAME: Practicing Principals

LOCATION OF MEETING: 127 N. Boyd Street  
Wintergarden, FL

TYPE OF MEETING: open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 15 NEWCOMERS: 2

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 47.01 LITERATURE: \$ 0

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 11-8-24

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: NONE

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: NONE

G.S.R. : John Patten

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24.

GROUP NAME: Friday Night Live

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1655 Peel Ave, Orlando, FL  
32806

TYPE OF MEETING: Open Discussion/Shoot Out.

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 70 NEWCOMERS: 7

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 256.82 LITERATURE: \$ 32.18

Total: \$289.00

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: First Friday of month ✓

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: None

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R.: Kevin H

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Kirsten ?



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Miracle @ Noon

LOCATION OF MEETING: Bruton Blvd

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 25 NEWCOMERS: 6

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 39.10 LITERATURE: \$ 48.90

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 2nd Saturday of the Month

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: Alt Secretary

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: None

G.S.R.: [Signature]

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: [Signature]



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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Eatonville

LOCATION OF MEETING: ~~1000~~ <sup>1000</sup> Bethune Dr.

TYPE OF MEETING: closed

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 15 NEWCOMERS: 2

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 100 LITERATURE: \$ 0

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: \_\_\_\_\_

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: \_\_\_\_\_

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R. : [Signature]

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: By the Book

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1901 E Robinson St Orlando, FL  
32803

TYPE OF MEETING: Literature

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 30-40 NEWCOMERS: 3-5

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 100 books LITERATURE: \$ 63.70 books

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: Tuesday 11/8/24

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: Alt GSR

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R. : Heather ~~Row~~

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11-10-24

GROUP NAME: EASTSIDE RECOVERY

LOCATION OF MEETING: 5873 N. DEAN RD. ORLANDO, FL. 32817

@ ST. MATTHEWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH

TYPE OF MEETING: THURSDAY 7:00 PM - (O, TOP, WC, NS)  
SATURDAY 7:00 PM - (O, W 1ST + 3RD, M 2ND, WC, NS)

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 27 NEWCOMERS: 0

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 124.67 LITERATURE: \$ 0

TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT: \$ 124.67

PAYMENT METHOD: (circle one)  PayPal  Check  Money Order  Zelle

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 2<sup>ND</sup> SAT OF MONTH @ 6PM

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: NONE

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

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G.S.R. : SHARI B

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : ORBIT



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP\_NAME: By Young Addicts For Young Addicts

LOCATION OF MEETING: Redeemer Lutheran Church  
2377 Aloma Ave Winter Park, FL 32792

TYPE OF MEETING: Rotating Format: see back

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 26 NEWCOMERS: 5

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 0 LITERATURE: \$ 80.79 Money order

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 2nd Friday @ 8pm

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: None

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: Needing support,  
lots of Newcomers or people w/  
less than a year

G.S.R.: Shawni S.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Robb K.



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP\_NAME: Mid-Week Groove

LOCATION OF MEETING: West Orange Church of Christ - Odom Hall  
1450 Daniels Rd. Winter Garden, FL 34787

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 25 NEWCOMERS: 2-3

DONATION TO AREA: \$ — LITERATURE: \$ \$122.70 Zelle

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: 1st Wednesday following the meeting

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: —

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: —

G.S.R. : Rob H.

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11-10-24

GROUP\_NAME: MAN TO MAN

LOCATION OF MEETING: \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF MEETING: ~~GROUP~~ MAN Meeting

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: \_\_\_\_\_ NEWCOMERS: \_\_\_\_\_

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 50 LITERATURE: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: \_\_\_\_\_

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: \_\_\_\_\_

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

*Money  
order*



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11-10

GROUP NAME: Clean on Sunday

LOCATION OF MEETING: 2740 E. Michigan St  
Orlando, FL 32806 FAITH ASSEMBLY

TYPE OF MEETING: OPEN

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 18 NEWCOMERS: 3

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 45.43 LITERATURE: \$ 53.89 zella

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: NOV, 3

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: AIT GSR

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: NONE

G.S.R.: Dustin

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: \_\_\_\_\_



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: Nov. 10, 2024

GROUP NAME: WE DO RECOVER

LOCATION OF MEETING: 2140 W. SR 434 LONGWOOD

TYPE OF MEETING: OPEN DISCUSSION

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 35 NEWCOMERS: ~1

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 100 \* THURS. ZELLE (MICHELE M.) LITERATURE: \$ 294.02

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: Nov. 7, 2024

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: \_\_\_\_\_

PAID  
ZELLE ✓  
Nov. 10  
LINDA FIZSTELSS

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

G.S.R.: MEL F.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: BLAKE C.



# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: 11/10/24

GROUP NAME: Still Working On It

LOCATION OF MEETING: 1656 N. Ronald Reagan Blvd.  
Longwood, FL 32750

TYPE OF MEETING: Open

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: 25 NEWCOMERS: 5

DONATION TO AREA: \$ 154.56 LITERATURE: \$ 532.11 2elle

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: November 8<sup>th</sup> 2024

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: N/A

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: N/A

G.S.R.: Brian C.

ALTERNATE G.S.R.: Zach M.



## Greater Orlando Area Activities Subcommittee

**We need you! Come join the Activities Subcommittee!**  
Activities Subcommittee is responsible for  
coordinating and promoting NA events throughout  
the community in order to support unity and  
fellowship. You only need a white key tag to get  
involved, come be a part of!

**First Monday of the Month**

**6:30 pm to 7:30 pm**

**Dr. James R. Smith Neighborhood Center**

**1723 Bruton Blvd.**

**Orlando, FL 32805**

**First room on the right!**

**Any questions please reach out to our Activities Chair, Anthony G 718-690-5483  
NA is not affiliated with the Dr. James R. Smith Neighborhood Center**

**24 Hour Phoneline: 407-425-5157 or 866-579-8333**

**Florida Relay for the Deaf: 800-955-8771 or 711**

**[www.orlandona.org](http://www.orlandona.org)**

**Greater Orlando Area of Narcotics Anonymous  
Quick-Order Literature Form**

<b>Hard Cover Books</b>				
DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	QUANTITY	PRICE	TOTAL
Basic Text, English, Hard Cover	EN-1101		\$13.60	
It Works How and Why, Hard Cover	EN-1140		\$10.70	
Guiding Principles- Hard Cover	EN-1201		\$13.05	
Living Clean : The Journey Continues, Hard Cover	EN-1150		\$11.60	
<b>Soft Cover Books</b>				
Just For Today,Soft Cover	EN-1112		\$10.70	
NA Step Working Guides	EN-1400		\$10.10	
Guiding Principles-Soft Cover	EN-1202		\$11.65	
<b>Booklets</b>				
Twelve Concepts for NA Service	EN-1164		\$2.20	
Introductory Guide to NA	EN-1200		\$2.15	
White Booklet	EN-1500		\$0.80	
White Booklet for H&I (No Staples)	EN-1500H&I		\$0.80	
White Booklet, Large Print	LG-1500		\$0.80	
The Group Booklet	EN-1600		\$1.00	
Behind the Walls	EN-1601		\$1.00	
Behind the Walls for H&I (No Staples)	EN-1601H&I		\$1.00	
In Times of Illness	EN-1603		\$3.40	
NA – A Resource in Your Community	EN-1604		\$0.42	
Membership Survey	EN-2301		\$0.32	
Information about NA	EN-2302		\$0.32	
The Group IP #2	EN-3102		\$0.33	
Working Step Four in NA #10	EN-3110		\$0.82	
By Young Addicts For Young Addicts #13	EN-3113		\$0.31	
For Those in Treatment #17	EN-3117		\$0.33	
The Loner #21	EN-3121		\$0.33	
For The Parents...Of Young People #27	EN-3127		\$0.33	
NA Groups and Medication	EN-2205		\$0.33	
Principles and Leadership in NA Service	EN-2206		\$0.33	
Social Media & Our Guiding Principles	EN-2207		\$0.33	
<b>Pamphlets</b>				
Who, What, How & Why # 1	EN-3101		\$0.25	
Another Look # 5	EN-3105		\$0.25	
Recovery, Relapse # 6	EN-3106		\$0.25	
Am I an Addict? # 7	EN-3107		\$0.25	
Just For Today # 8	EN-3108		\$0.25	
Living the Program # 9	EN-3109		\$0.25	
Sponsorship # 11	EN-3111		\$0.25	
Triangle of Self-Obsession #12	EN-3112		\$0.25	
One Addict's Experience #14	EN-3114		\$0.25	
PI and the NA Member #15	EN-3115		\$0.25	
For the Newcomer #16	EN-3116		\$0.25	
Self-Acceptance #19	EN-3119		\$0.25	
H&I and the NA Member # 20	EN-3120		\$0.25	
Welcome to NA #22	EN-3122		\$0.25	
Staying Clean on the Outside #23	EN-3123		\$0.25	
Money Matters Self -Support in NA #24	EN-3124		\$0.56	
Accessibility For Those w/Additional Needs #26	EN-3126		\$0.25	
Funding NA Services #28	EN-3128		\$0.37	
An Introduction To NA Meetings #29	EN-3129		\$0.25	
An Introduction To NA Meetings #29 for H&I (No Staples)	EN-3129 H&I		\$0.25	
Mental Health in Recovery #30	EN-3130		\$0.33	
Group Business Meetings	EN-2202		\$0.25	
Group Trusted Servants: Roles and Responsibilities	EN-2203		\$0.25	
Disruptive and Violent Behavior	EN-2204		\$0.25	
NA & Persons Receiving Medication - Assisted Treatment	EN-2206		\$0.32	
<b>Column 1 Total</b>				<b>\$0.00</b>

<b>Key Tags</b>				
DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	QUANTITY	PRICE	TOTAL
Welcome – White	EN-4100		\$0.56	
30 Days – Orange	EN-4101		\$0.56	
60 Days – Green	EN-4102		\$0.56	
90 Days – Red	EN-4103		\$0.56	
6 Months – Blue	EN-4104		\$0.56	
9 Months – Yellow	EN-4105		\$0.56	
1 Year – Moonglow	EN-4106		\$0.56	
18 Months – Grey	EN-4107		\$0.56	
Multiple Years – Black	EN-4108		\$0.56	
<b>Medallions</b>				
<i>Fill in year needed example - Bronze (10 year) or =&gt; EN-4310 for example</i>				
DESCRIPTION	ITEM #	QUANTITY	PRICE	TOTAL
Bronze - 1 year	EN-4301		\$3.80	
Bronze - 18 months	EN-4300		\$3.80	
Bronze - 2 years	EN-4302		\$3.80	
Bronze -	EN-43		\$3.80	
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<b>Column 2 Total</b>				<b>\$0.00</b>

Total Column 1	\$0.00
Total Column 2	\$0.00
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>

<b>Group Name</b>

<b>Person Picking Up Order</b>

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# GOASCNA GROUP REPORT

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

GROUP\_NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

LOCATION OF MEETING: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF MEETING: \_\_\_\_\_

AVERAGE ATTENDANCE: \_\_\_\_\_ NEWCOMERS: \_\_\_\_\_

DONATION TO AREA: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ LITERATURE: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

PAYMENT METHOD: (circle one) **PayPal** **Check** **Money Order** **Zelle**

BUSINESS MEETING HELD: \_\_\_\_\_

GROUP POSITIONS OPEN: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PROBLEMS OR SITUATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

ALTERNATE G.S.R. : \_\_\_\_\_

# **G.O.A.S.C.N.A.**

## **CHECK REQUEST FORM**

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**AMOUNT:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PURPOSE OF CHECK:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF PAYEE ON CHECK:** \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUESTED BY / POSITION:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CHECK NUMBER:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please note that all check request must be approved by the Area Chair prior to issue.